

**Blacksburg will be conducting  
Spring Cleanup 2004 for  
residential refuse and  
recycling customers based on  
the following schedule:**

**SE Quadrant: March 22**

**NE Quadrant: April 5**

**NW Quadrant: April 12**

**SW Quadrant: April 19**

*All items **must** be placed  
curbside before 7:00 a.m. the  
Monday of your quadrant's  
scheduled collection date.*



**The Public Works Department may  
limit cleanup items to one dump truck  
load (approximately 10'x10'x8') of  
debris per location.**

**Please note that  
Spring Cleanup  
is not intended to  
pick up waste from  
contractors or major  
construction and/or  
demolition debris.**

*Use the Town's refuse and recycling  
information line 961-1894, whenever  
you think  
inclement weather or holidays may  
affect your regular service.*

Did you know that your old appliances and tires are recycled by the Montgomery Regional Solid Waste Authority? They also grind brush into wood chips that are available to the public. MRSWA can be reached by phone at 381-2820.

# Spring Cleanup 2004



[www.blacksburg.gov](http://www.blacksburg.gov)  
(540) 961-1806

**Debris and brush collection services are available to residential refuse and recycling customers only.**

***No collection is conducted on private streets or in parking lots.***

If you have questions as to whether or not you are a residential refuse/recycling collection customer please call the Utility Billing Office at 961-1119.

***Materials for collection must be placed curbside before 7:00 a.m. the Monday of your quadrants scheduled Cleanup week.***

**Materials must be separated into distinct piles of:**

**• Brush**

Any bagged or boxed brush must be placed with debris - No loose leaves can be collected with brush. Leaves must be bagged separately.

**• Metal Appliances**

Any airtight appliances with more than 2 cubic feet of interior space must have doors removed

**• Tires**

Must be removed from rims, be no larger than 17" in diameter, no more than 8 tires per household

**• Other Debris**

Drums must be empty with both the top and bottom removed, or they will not be taken



Material placed near mailboxes, water meters, fire hydrants, posts, or other obstacles will not be collected due to the potential damage to these obstacles by Town equipment.

**Hazardous waste, household or yard chemicals, tree stumps, any type of paint, or tires greater than 17" in diameter WILL NOT be collected with cleanup items.**

Take your latex paint to **Latex Paint Exchange Day**, this year we are combining this event with **Household Hazardous Waste Day**, which will be held at Blacksburg Transit from 8:30 to 11:30 a.m. on May 22nd. Hazardous items will not be picked up with cleanup, and should be brought to this event. Call 961-1806 for details.

## **What can I do if I miss Spring Cleanup?**

Many bulky items such as window air conditioners, furniture, appliances, and automobile tires are accepted free of charge at all Montgomery County Consolidated Recycling and Waste Collection Sites. Town citizens (with local vehicle decal) as well as Virginia Tech students (with valid ID) are eligible for free disposal of household refuse and bulky items at these sites year round. Please contact your local Consolidated Site for information on acceptable bulky items and for their locations and hours of operation. One popular site is at 4680 Price's Fork Rd., phone number 552-4642.

## **Special Pickups**

Citizens who require collection of brush and/or debris outside of their regularly scheduled brush or cleanup collection times should contact the Town's Public Works Department at (540) 961-1142 to request a special pickup. Special pickups cost \$20 per dump truck load plus any disposal fees charged by the Montgomery Regional Solid Waste Authority.

**We look forward to providing outstanding customer service to our citizens. For additional information regarding Brush Collection, Leaf Collection, Christmas Tree Collection, or Fall or Spring Clean-up, please visit our site at [www.blacksburg.gov](http://www.blacksburg.gov), email**

**your questions to [recycle@blacksburg.gov](mailto:recycle@blacksburg.gov), or contact the refuse and recycling office at (540) 961-1806.**